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**Please Come!**

**July 9th, 6 p.m.**  
[Kiefer Creek Watershed Planning Meeting at Powder Valley Nature Center](#)

**July 11, 7 p.m.**  
[West Lake Landfill Community Meeting, Maryland Heights](#)

**July 13, 2013 from 10 am - 1 pm**  
[Kiefer Creek Second Saturday Hike at Castlewood State Park in Ballwin. Meet at pavilion 1.](#)

**Save the Date**  
**Oct. 11, 2013**  
[MCE Annual Awards Celebration](#)

**MCE Wish List**



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**July 5, 2013**



Community Advisory Group co-founder and Spanish Village resident Bob Nowlin addresses the news crews and supportive community members at the July 1 News Conference.

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## West Lake Landfill Update

Your ongoing update on the West Lake Superfund Site where the *Bridgeton landfill fire burns and the nuclear weapons production wastes lie in the Missouri River floodplain.*

### **This week**

Citizens held their first news conference Monday, July 1 to tell the media what they told the EPA last week: It's time to get the radioactive waste out. See the news clips below.

### **Agency News-Landfill Fire**

The Missouri Dept. of Natural Resources posted the first **Contingency Plan** for the ongoing landfill fire. The 400+ page document is the first of two plans (the second one is due July 27) required by the Attorney General's Agreement with the landfill's owner Republic Services. You can read it [here](#). Be patient. It takes a while to download.

### **Next Meeting- July 11**

The [Contingency Plan](#) is at the top of the list of discussion items for the next CommUnity meeting **Thursday, July 11, 7 p.m.** Pattonville High School Cafeteria, 2497 Creve Coeur Mill Rd. Maryland Heights, MO 63043.

The agenda also includes updates on fire/temperature probe data, air quality sampling, water, agency actions, outreach, resources, and upcoming events.

### **Save the Dates!- July 31 & August 1**

Important events are taking shape for the morning and evening of July 31, and the evening of August 1. More details soon!

Hint: According to old Atomic Energy Commission documents, July 31 marks the 40th anniversary of the first truckload of radioactive wastes dumped at the West Lake Landfill.

## Do You Want Action?!

Now is the time for you to call **BOTH** Missouri Senators and your Congressperson. The landfill is literally split down the middle by Congressional District. Congresswoman Wagner's district includes the landfill fire or "smoldering event" while Congressman Clay's district includes the radioactive wastes. Tell our elected officials what residents told EPA last Tuesday night.

1. We want the forever toxic radioactive wastes removed from West Lake.
2. We want the Army Corps of Engineers to remove the wastes because they have already removed over 1,000,000 cubic yards of the same radioactive wastes in St. Louis City and County.

**Senator McCaskill:** 202-224-6154

**Senator Blunt:** 202-224-5721

**Congresswoman Wagner:** 202-225-1621

**Congressman Clay:** 202-225-2406

## West Lake in the News

### **July 1, 2013**

Florissant Patch: [Residents on West Lake Landfill: Move the Radioactive Waste](#)

KTVI & St. Louis Post Dispatch: [Landfill Owner Submits Fire Contingency Plans](#)

Associated Press via KSDK: [Bridgeton Landfill: Residents Want Nuclear Waste Removed](#)

### **July 2, 2013**

Waste & Recycling News: [Cap Work Continues at Bridgeton Landfill](#)

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